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***GOVERNOR TO DISCUSS “INNOVATION AMERICA”  
AND HIGH SCHOOL REFORM WITH P-20 COUNCIL***

Governor Janet Napolitano will meet with her P-20 Council tomorrow to discuss high school reform and *Innovation America*, the Governor's initiative as National Governors Association (NGA) Chair.

Governor Napolitano will announce which P-20 recommendations she will begin implementing immediately. These recommendations include new standards for reducing the high school dropout rate, new requirements for school math and science curriculum, and revisiting Arizona's high school exit standards.

**DATE:** Tuesday, August 22

**TIME:** 10 a.m.

**LOCATION:** Second Floor Conference Room  
Governor's Executive Tower  
1700 W. Washington St., Phoenix

**YOU WILL SEE:**

- Governor's NGA Initiative, *Innovation America*
- Actions to Reduce the High School Dropout Rate
- Recommendations on High School Reform